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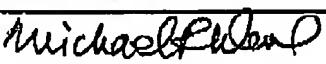
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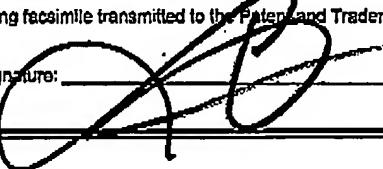
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- Biochemical Sequence Listing filed on 03/02/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/02/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/02/2005
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and International filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	-0-
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	-0-
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	-0-
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2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

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Multiple dependent claims

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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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